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Welcoming Addresses Delivered at Opening Session This Morning

50 DELEGATES ATTEND

Reports of Officers and Regents at Afternoon Session and Tonight Address by Mrs. George Barnett.

With more than fifty delegates in attendance from every chapter in the state the twenty-third annual Virginia State Conference, Daughters of the American Revolution, convened this morning in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Kate Waller Barrett, of this city, state regent, presided. The meeting was opened with invocation by Rev. Dr. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Episcopal Church.

Welcoming addresses were made by Mayor Thomas A. Fisher and Carroll Pierce, the latter president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Responses were made by Mrs. Robert L. Pierce, state vice regent, Wytheville, and Mrs. B. L. Purcell, representing the national D. A. R., vice president general from Virginia.

Mrs. J. W. Wilson, of Cape Charles, Va., was chosen secretary pro tem.

Afterward came the salute to the flag which was followed by the report of the credential committee and an address was delivered by Dr. Kate Waller Barrett and also one by Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, of Washington.

At the afternoon session which convened at 2 o'clock reports were submitted by the various officers and regents.

Tuesday, November 18, 1919—Afternoon Session, 2 o'clock.—Report of officers; report of regents; Education, College opportunities for women in Virginia, by the President of William and Mary College. National Physical Education—by T. S. Settle, esq., representing Playground Recreation Association.

Song, Mrs. Newton Baker.

Report, Scholarships and Loan Fund of the National State Daughters of the American Revolution.

Address, History in the Making, Col. C. R. Keiley, Council of Defense.

Report of Committees.

Tuesday, November 18, 1919—Evening Session, 8 o'clock.

Cooperation the keynote of the future.

For the State, the Nation, the World.

Presentation of Distinguished Guests.

Mrs. S. G. Wallis, representing Mrs. Kate Cabell Cox, State—President, Colonial Dames; Mrs. Noble Newport Potts, representing the Daughters of 1812; Mrs. William Cabell Flournoy, representing State U. D. C.

Address, With the Marines in France, Mrs. George Barnett, Washington, D. C.

Presentation of Overseas Honor Medal to Miss Nannie Jones of Anne Pickett Chapter.

Reception at the residence of Dr. Kate Waller Barrett, State Regent, in honor of the officers and delegates by Anne Pickett Chapter.

SEVEN ARE KILLED

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Seven persons, one man and six young women, were instantly killed early today when the Chicago flyer of the New York Central struck an automobile in which they were riding at a street crossing in Cheektowaga, just outside the Buffalo city line.

HOUSE SHORTAGE

Danville, Va., Nov. 18.—The acute stage of the local house shortage was revealed yesterday morning when an advertisement in the daily paper offered a reward of $25 to the person affording "T. R. G." information leading to the leasing of an apartment.

GRAND TONIGHT

Would you falsely swear away your own honor to repay a woman for saving the man you loved from a murderer's fate? See Alice Joyce as Annie Sands in "The Third Degree." 275-1c.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY ENTERTAINMENT

The charming Louise Huff will be in Alexandria Friday evening, November 21, on the screen at Norton Memorial, to help the Girls' Friendly of St. Paul's Church entertain the girls of all the Sunday Schools. All girls of the "teen" age are invited. T'other Dear Charmer" is the story in which Miss Huff will appear. Tom Wentworth, a young American aviator, home to recuperate from a wound received from a German machine gun, falls in love with two girls—one a French maid, the other wealthy Betty Hallowell. The young soldier is in quite a dilemma and keeps every one in a stew until he finds that both girls are one and the same, that the French maid is only Betty in masquerade. It is a sweet charming little story. Through the courtesy of the Y. M. C. A., the film showing the Alexandria Sunday School parade will be shown for the first time. This film was loaned the girls entirely without cost. All the girls will be interested in seeing themselves and their friends on the screen and appreciate the kindness of the Y. M. C. A. This entertainment will be repeated on Saturday evening for St. Pauls Sunday School. The Girls' Friendly are expecting some guests from, Washington at the Friday evenings' entertainment.

TREATY RESERVATIONS

Senate Will Today Clear the Way For Final Vote Tomorrow

After the Senate had defeated four proposed reservations to the treaty, Senator Lodge announced yesterday that today the Senate will be held in session until every reservation has been disposed of and the way cleared for the vote on final ratification tomorrow.

In the face of a declaration by President Wilson through Senator Hitchcock to the effect that he will pigeonhole the treaty if it is sent to him with the Lodge reservations, Senator Lodge reaffirmed last night that the treaty cannot be ratified without these reservations.

When the President's statement reached the ears of Senators there were signs of weakening among the mild reservationists on the Republican side. The weakening process was aided to a considerable extent by Oscar Straus, former Ambassador to Turkey, and President Lowell, of Harvard, who led a delegation into the lobby and spent the day with Senators whom they felt might be receptive to the arguments against drastic reservations.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Deeds For Six Pieces of Property Just Recorded

Deeds of transfer for the following pieces of property have just been placed on record in the office of the clerk of the court as follows: Mrs. Mary E. Bowling and others to George W. Pettitt and wife house and lot 307 South Fairfax street; John T. McDermott to Mrs. Nellie Wright, house and lot 1217 Queen street; Thomas F. McDermott to Isaac Carter house and lot 1213 Queen street; Wellington Thomas to Walter E. Standard house and lot 317 South Royal street; Robinson Moncure, special commission, to R. P. Henderson and wife a house and lot on the west side of Fayette between Prince and Duke streets; Dr. Geo. T. Klipstein to William Ball house and lot on the south side of Wolfe between Patrick and Henry streets.

RAILROAD BILL PASSED

Provides Return to Private Ownership Under Broad Federal Control

Washington, Nov. 18.—The railroad bill providing for private ownership and operation of rail carriers, under broad Federal supervision, was passed last night by the House, 203 to 159. The measure goes to the Senate, but it will not be taken up there until the regular session in December.

Good Things for Your Benefit

We have the most up to the Minute Tire changing tools in town.
Our battery service needs no apology.
Don't forget that we have an Exide for every car.
Plenty of service batteries on hand at all times.
275-1c Jester King and Patrick St.

DEATH OF AN OLD EX-CONFEDERATE

Robert W. Ballenger One of City's Octogenarians, Passes Away

LONG IN SHOE TRADE

During Four Year Civil War Fought Under the Late J. E. B. Stuart and Fitzhugh Lee.

Robert W. Ballenger, an old and well-known Alexandrian, died last night at the home of his daughter, Mrs J. P. Chadwick, in Fairfax county, near this city. The deceased was in his 83rd year. He is survived by five children—Messrs. Clinton S., Frank L. and Peyton R. Ballenger, and Mrs. P. B. Peyton and Mrs. J. P. Chadwick. The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the family home, "Mount Pleasant," upon which estate Fort Lyon was located during the war between the states.

The deceased was the second son of the late Peyton Ballenger, who in ante war days conducted the shoe business on the south side of King street, between Pitt and St. Asaph. At the outbreak of the war the subject of this notice and his two brothers, Messrs. Frank and Clinton, joined the Confederate army. Frank and Clinton never returned, both having offered their lives upon their country's altar. Robert became a member of Company F., Sixth Virginia Cavalry, and served under the late J. E. B. Stuart and Fitzhugh Lee.

Mr. Ballenger was regarded as one of the most valiant of the southern soldiers from Alexandria. Having the nerve and daring with no sense of fear, he performed acts of heroism during the four years' war, which gave him a reputation long before the close of hostilities. While the conflict was in progress he was captured at Fairfax Courthouse and brought to Alexandria in a box car. With him was a member of the Louisiana Tiger Zouaves who had also been captured. For some reason the train remained at the Duke street depot some time, and the report in the meantime, spread throughout the city that "Bob" Ballenger was a prisoner." Many Alexandrians gathered around the car, and the captives were given an ovation. The guards seemed to enjoy the proceedings as much as the prisoners and their friends.'

At the close of hostilities he returned to his home and for a number of years was identified with his father in the shoe business.

He was a member of R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate Veterans.

Recently, while the shadows were lengthening the deceased occasionally visited the city of his birth. But few of his cotemporaries are now in the land of the living, and when he recognized one of the companions of his youth his soul went out to him and he greeted him with a hearty handshake while interchanging recollections of the olden times.

GERMANS BREAK THROUGH.

Hums Take Guise of Poles, But Will be Headed off

Washington, Nov. 18.—German subjects are trying to enter the United States by way of Mexico under the guise of Polish citizens, it was announced today at the state department. Steps to prevent the entry of the Germans have been taken, it is said.

PROPOSALS

Proposals for the dismantling and loading on cars for shipment of four U. S. all steel A. E. F., type hangers, 66 by 140 feet wide 100 feet long, located at Morrow Field will be received and opened at 11 o'clock November 19 in the office of the undersigned, at 6th and B streets, Washington, D. C.

Leo V. Lannen,
275-2p Chief S. Engineering Section

DIED—Monday, November 17, 1919, ROBERT W. BALLENGER, in his 83rd year. Funeral from his residence, Mt. Pleasant, Fairfax County, Thursday at 2:30 p. m. 275-3p

HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS

"Laugh and the world laughs with you." At least, a goodly portion of it will laugh with you, if you come to the High School Thursday or Friday night and watch the hero get tangled up in his own mouse trap. A decidedly novel and comical situation is brought about by this young man's "smartness," it will be worth your while to be among those present. If you are, you will also witness the frustration of a plot against His Extinct Highness, the Mikado of Japan, in the picturesque setting of "The Flowery Kingdom."

Furthermore, your innate sense of law and order will be rejoiced when you behold three famous and elusive burglars caught firmly as well as dramatically within "the strong arm of the law."

All these kaleidoscopic events will pass before your eyes in one night (or two, if you wish), if you will present yourself at the H. S. auditorium, with a ticket, Thursday or Friday night of this week.

WILL REMOVE CLUB ROOMS

Master Masons' Club Also Plans Activities during Winter Months

The Master Masons' Club held a get-together meeting last night at which time several matters of interest to the Club and community were discussed.

The principal matter taken up was the complete renovation of their Club rooms, they having recently acquired the entire floor at their present location, one room of which is already being rapidly converted into a billiard room. Their entire energies are being exerted toward making the club rooms more home-like for its members, especially to those from out-of-town.

They propose to hold a club dance the first week in December, which will be the forerunner of several affairs during the season. They also propose, in the near future, to hold a banquet for their members and guests, at which time several speakers of prominence will be present.

This club, composed entirely of Master Masons, has in its membership some of the most prominent Masons of this city, also several members from practically every state in the union. It has the distinction of being the first Master Masons' Club in the State of Virginia, affiliated with the National League of Masonic Clubs, which organization has a chain of clubs in practically every city in the United States.

The club now has a steward in constant attendance, who sees that the rooms are kept in order, and maintains a refreshment stand for the members' convenience.

Officials are—Fred A. Sotter, president; Chas. Jacoby, vice president; C. W. Smith, secretary, H. C. Russell, treasurer; R. S. MacMillan, financial secretary.

Its affairs are controlled by a Board of Governors consisting of F. P. Hall, C. Page Waller, jr., H. C. Russell, R. M. Much and C. W. Smith.

FRANCIS-RAGLAND WEDDING

A pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized last evening at seven o'clock when Miss Ruth Francis, the popular young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Francis, became the bride of Mr. Allan Winston Ragland, of Roanoke, Va.

The bride wore a dark brown suit of tricotine embroidered in one shade darker with hat to match. She carried a bunch of white chrysanthemums.

The only attendants were the bride's cousin, Miss Edna G. Hanson, of Baltimore, who wore a taupe satin dress and carried yellow chrysanthemums; and Mr. J. K. Gillespie, a close friend of the groom.

Mr. Ragland has a wide circle of friends in Alexandria and was formally employed at the Southern Shops in this city. Among the out of town guests were Mr. J. K. Gillespie, of Roanoke, Va., Miss E. G. Hanson, of Baltimore, The Misses Hattie and Grace Pitts, of Washington, Mrs. J. A. Marshall, of New York.

After a wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Ragland left for a wedding trip South and after December 1st will make their home in Roanoke, Va.

GRAND TONIGHT

Mesmerism ever fatal? See how near it brought death in "The Third Degree." 275-1c

MEMORIAL TREES CHRIST CHURCH YARD

Will be Planted Sunday as Memorial to Two Alexandria Heroes

TABLETS FOR MARKERS

In Memory of First Lieut. George M. Anderton and Sergt. Maj. John M. Leadbeater of Alexandria.

As living growing memorials to two of Alexandria's heroes of the world war Lombardy Poplars will be planted next Sunday afternoon in the yard of historic Christ Church where George Washington was a worshipper, the American Forestry Association announced today.

The trees will be registered on the associations national honor roll of memorial trees and marked with bronze markers designed by the association. The trees will be planted in honor of George Moncrief Anderton, first lieutenant Company A, 501 Engineers, and John M. Leadbeater, sergeant-major 56 Pioneer Regiment, both of whom gave their lives to their country.

"This is the first church yard tree planting to be reported from Virginia" said Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the American Forestry Association, before departing from Washington for New York City to attend the tree planting by the Prince of Wales in Central Park. "Thousands of memorial trees are being planned in various parts of the country by congregations in honor of the members who answered their country's call. It is particularly appreciative that there should be memorial trees in the church yard of the congregation of which George Washington was at one time a member."

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MEETS

General Conference Scheduled For Tonight at Center, Prince and Royal Streets

The general committee of the Alexandria Community Service will meet tonight at Community Center, Prince and Royal Streets, at 7.45 o'clock, and Frank S. Marsh, Community Organizer requests a full attendance. Many matters of the utmost importance to Alexandrians will come up for discussion at this meeting.

Last night, close to fifty boys between the ages 12 and 16 made merry at the Community Center. Secretary Marsh supervised the recreation of the boys, and had them playing games, both athletic and amusing. This is the first of the weekly classes for boys, and Mr. Marsh promises them a big time next Monday night.

Steps towards the organization of a Bugle Corps were taken last night when twelve boys signified their intentions of becoming members of the organization. C. W. Swan, the Club Director, would like to have all the youngsters desiring to become members see him at the Center any time after school.

Tomorrow night is Girls Night at the Center, and from present indications, a record crowd will turn out. Miss Roberta Winans, who is in charge of the Girls and Women's Division, plans the organization of a girls club tomorrow night. A room for their club work will be arranged.

At a regular meeting of the Virginia Athletic Club, last night at Community Center Frank S. Marsh was elected Treasurer. Plans for an intensive winter campaign of sports were mapped out. Another meeting will be held Saturday night at the Center.

DIES FROM INJURIES

Howard R. Harrison, Thirteen Years Old, Expires at Hospital

Howard R. Harrison, thirteen years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Harrison, of 708 North Patrick street, died last night at the Alexandria Hospital from injuries sustained Sunday afternoon while playing.

The lad fell against a barrel at a factory in the northeastern part of the city and received internal injuries. The body was taken to the home of his parents and prepared for burial.

WAR-TIME PROHIBITION

Arguments Will be Heard by the Supreme Court December 8.

While arguments on the validity of the Wartime Prohibition act will be heard by the Supreme Court Thursday, a decision is not expected before December 8, when the court reconvenes after a recess announced today to begin next Monday.

Meantime machinery for enforcement of the act, which has been set up by the Internal Revenue Bureau, is getting under way and is expected to be in full operation before the end of the week. John F. Kramer, of Ohio, assumed his duties today as Federal Prohibition Commissioner, and announcement of district and State directors is expected within a day or two.

Should the Supreme Court hold the Wartime act unconstitutional, millions of gallons of whisky and wine would be placed on the market immediately in those States which had not voted out liquor before the operation of the Federal act.

Those longing for a wet Christmas are not placing all their hopes on a favorable opinion by the Supreme Court. In spite of the somewhat complicated peace treaty situation in the Senate, many opponents of prohibition expect peace to be an accomplished fact before the end of the present special session of Congress this month. The White House has announced that immediately on the proclamation of peace President Wilson will declare Wartime prohibition at an end.

HONOR VETERAN NAVY CLERK

James E. Alexander, This City, Remembered on 77th Birthday

Hundreds of clerks and employees in the enlisted personnel divisions of the bureau of navigation, Navy Department, Thursday, November 6, reminded their beloved chief and associate, Mr. J. E. Alexander, that he was 77 years young. He was surprised to find on his desk a beautiful basket of flowers, and was still further surprised to receive during the day, from various sections of the division, a box of cigars, a silver headed cane, a pipe, a smoking jacket and a pair of slippers, all creature comforts, which were kindly appreciated and enjoyed by the recipient.

Mr. Alexander has been continuously on duty in the Navy Department since 1866, in which year, he came to the old bureau of equipment and recruiting, under Rear Admiral Melanothon Smith. He served under every chief of that Bureau, until the enlisted personnel, was transferred to the Bureau of Navigation, in 1899 where he has served ever since. Prior to his appointment in the department he served in the military branch of the Navy, through the Civil War, so that he has a record for active service during three wars.

During the late war he was in charge of an important division and despite the arduous duties imposed upon all, when the force was augmented almost over night from a mere handful to several hundred, Mr. Alexander was constantly on duty and performed his work to the satisfaction of his superiors. Mr. Alexander is well known to the older officers of the navy who hold him in the highest esteem. Mr. Alexander was also remembered, on his birthday by his Masonic lodge, in Alexandria, of which he has been secretary for nearly 40 years. (Army and Navy Register)

HOUSE PASSES ESCH BILL

Democrats Fail in Effort for Stronger Rail Strike

On virtually a party vote of 203 to 159 the House last night passed and sent to the Senate the Esch railroad reorganization bill. Final action came at 8:30 o'clock after six days of continuous debate.

Norfolk salt water Oysters and Hampton Bar clams Jacob Brill foot of King Street. 227-tf

GRAND TONIGHT

One thing no police "third degree" can break down—a girl's love. See Alice Joyce in "The Third Degree." 275-1c.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Stockholders Meeting of the University Club Building Company will be held at the office of Leo P. Harlow, 119 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, on November 17th, at 10:00 a. m. 262-12t. Ralph P. Barnard, Secty.

HAPPENINGS ABOUT CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

Mrs. E. Mero is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Struder, in Mt. Vernon district.

Miss Katharine H. Stuart is the guest of Mrs. W. H. F. Lee, at Stoneleigh Court, Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey D. Hadlock, and little daughter, are visiting Mr. Hadlock's parents, in Indianapolis, Ind.

A box party will be given at 9 o'clock tonight at the skating rink at the armory. Prizes will be awarded the winners.

Miss Elizabeth Lyons has returned to her home in Baltimore after spending some time with Mrs. Harvey Williams, in King street.

Miss Leonie Simms and Miss Esther Harrison spent the week end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Simms, at their home in Maryland.

Tomorrow, Wednesday, is to be Patron's Day in the public schools for white children, and all parents and those interested are invited to visit the schools during the day.

Sarepta Lodge No. 46, Odd Fellows, will confer the second degree on a class of twenty candidates tomorrow night. Special features for the occasion. All Odd Fellows are invited.

The interior of the Alexandria National Bank is being remodeled to give more working space to enable the bank's force to handle more expeditiously the increased volume of business of that institution.

A regular meeting of Alva Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at Pythian Hall, 319 Cameron street. Several candidates will be initiated, after which refreshments will be served.

Announcement was made today by the Washington Times that it has been sold to William Randolph Hearst. Arthur Brisbane, owner of that paper, will continue with The Times; Mr. Brisbane also has sold to Mr. Hearst the Wisconsin News, published in Milwaukee.

Oriental Lodge, No. 6, Knights of Pythias, will confer the Rank of Knight upon a class of ten squires, this evening. All members are urged to be present at 7:30 p. m. sharp, to assist in the initiatory. All visiting brethren sojourning in our midst are invited to meet with us, where they will find a hearty welcome.

The dance committee of Fitzgerald Council, No. 459, Knights of Columbus, is preparing for their second council ball of the season to be held in the Lyceum Hall on Thanksgiving evening, November 27. The Council's members and their friends are contemplating having another enjoyable evening on this occasion.

Rev. Dr. J. Russell Bowie, rector of St. Paul's Church, Richmond, the largest Episcopal Church in Virginia, will preach at St. Paul's Church Wednesday evening, November 19, at 8 o'clock. Dr. Bowie is a very eloquent speaker, and is coming to Alexandria by special invitation. The public is very cordially invited. Dr. Bowie will come in the interest of the Nation Wide Campaign.

MASONIC NOTICE

A called convocation of Mt. Vernon R. A. Chapter No. 14, will be held Wednesday evening, November 19, 1919, at 7:30 for the purpose of conferring the mark and Past Master degrees.

By order of the H. P.
275-2c F. W. Latham, Secty.

FURNITURE SALE

Contents of new Southland Hotel, 110 South Royal street, will be sold privately daily from 11 a. m. until 5 p. m. The sale will be held each day this week. 274-3c

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ECHO OF THE MARSEILLAISE

The "American Anarchist Federated Commune Soviets," are circulating through the United States mail a red call to arms as a reply to the nation wide arrest of radical leaders. The call demands "bloody revenge" for the red leaders arrested in the recent raids of agents of the Department of Justice. The following is an extract from their literature:

"What happened all over the country on Friday, November 7, 1919, when hundreds of our comrades were brutally crippled, assaulted, beaten up and then arrested by the wolfish, degrading, cowardly, dirty, thug, armed, beasts of the government, ought to open the eyes of every rebel worker who struggles for the overthrow of this system, that it is time to change the fighting of our murderous enemies.

"We must spend our last money on acquiring guns and ammunition and learn how to shoot—and to shoot into the beasts that they dare not attack us."

A handbill concludes with the words:

"To arms, rebelling workers of America."

The above brings to mind the origin of the "Marseillaise Hymn," and the terrible reign of terror in France, which brought about the beheading of Louis XVI and his Queen, Marie Antoinette.

The following is the story of the French national hymn: War had been declared between France and Austria, and a handbill posted in Strassburg was headed, "To Arms! To Arms!" These words sent inspiration into the soul of the author of the hymn who was an official of the city. It found its way to Marseilles, and for some time was known as "The Hymn of Maseilles." While the French revolution was approaching its zenith people from that city entered Paris singing the sonnet. Its notes rang out in the French capital while the guillotine was being kept busy and the heads of the best people of the city were falling into the basket.

"The words "To Arms! To Arms!" send a thrill of terror into the souls of those versed in the history of the French Revolution, and some are inclined to suggest that the scenes of that day may have been in miniature what will occur universally in the latter days if American Jacobins are not bridled.

DEALING WITH PROFITEERS.

Accounts of the workings in Great Britain of an anti-profiteering law, administered by the Board of Trade, will arouse a certain envy on this side of the Atlantic, where the Department of Justice still thunders in the index without disclosing any substantial results. It appears that the British local tribunals, which number fifteen hundred, have already prosecuted 7350 offenders and secured 1320 convictions, with fines aggregating $35,000. Considering the difficulties in the way of conclusive evidence as the exorbitance of a given profit, to secure a conviction in more than every sixth case is a pretty good record. No doubt the unconvicted often heeded the warning.

"The principle on which the law operates is simple, says an 'exchange.'

"Complaints are made to the local tribunals, their justice is decided by a majority vote and the cases are then taken before a court, if the defendant will not submit to the first ruling. That the general level of prices has not been reduced is asserted, and probably with truth; for a fall almost inevitably is slower than a rise. But this definite way of dealing with individual cases of greed can hardly fail in the end to restrain profiteering generally. Moral compulsion may be a great aid to legal compulsion.

"One obvious advantage of the British law is the publicity which it brings to the profiteers. Many a dealer who might not be averse to grabbing a little extra money on the sly will shrink from doing so if he is to be pillored before his customers and neighbors."

Mr. Vaughan, Farmer, Tells How He Lost All His Prize Seed Corn

"Sometime ago sent away for some pedigreed seed corn. Put it in a gunny sack and hung it on a rope suspended from roof. Rats got it allow beats me. but they did because I got 5 dead whoppers in the morning ftery trying RAT-SNAP." Three izes, 25c, 50, $1.00. Sold and guaranteed by R. E. Knight and Son, Alexandria; Mankin's Store Falls Church.

Corns 'Tween Toes? Use Easy "Gets-It"

Any Corn or Callus Comes Off Peacefully, Gloriously. Never Fails.

It is easy for "Gets-It" to reach "hard-to-get-at" corns, and better yet, it is easy to remove them, because "Gets-It" makes them come

Any Corn Peels Off With "Gets-It."

right off just like a banana peel. You can try to dig or drag out your corns with a knife, or slice them with a "bloody" razor, or use bandages and tape and wrap up your toe into a package, but that's the "treat-'em-rough," painful, foolish way. Use 2 or 3 drops of "Gets-It"—that's the peaceful, sure, commonsense way that never fails. You reach the corn easily with the little glass rod in the cork of every "Gets-It" bottle. It does not hurt the true flesh. Try it, trot and smile! It's a blessing; never fails. "Gets-It," the only sure, guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. M'f'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in Alexandria and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by RICHARD GIBSON, FRANK WARFIELD.

No More RATS

or mice, after you use RAT-SNAP. It's a sure rodent killer. Try a Pkg. and prove it. Rats killed with RatSNAP leave no smell. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Guaranteed.

25c size (1 cake) enough for Pantry Kitchen or Cellar.

50c size (2 cakes) for Chicken House, coops, or small buildings.

$1.00 size (5 cakes) enough for all farm and out-buildings, storage buildings, or factory buildings.

Sold and Guaranteed by R. E. Knight and Son, Alexandria; Mankin's Store, Falls Church.

When That Cold Gets Down Into Your Chest

It is time for you to take quick steps to relieve it, and prevent pneumonia or other serious trouble. Just try a good warming application of

MOTHER'S JOY Croup and Pneumonia SALVE

It will surprise you how quickly it penetrates to the seat of the trouble, relieving congestion and soreness.

It is also an invaluable remedy for Croup, and can be used freely without irritating or burning effects. Keep a jar on hand for emergencies. Doctors recommend it. Good dealers sell it.

Cross Grease Co. Greensboro N. C.

Are you always successful on baking day? Are your cakes light and spongy and your biscuits white and flaky? If not, let us help you with

RUMFORD

THE OLD RELIABLE

YEAST POWDER

Bake your loaf and win your share of this $1000

What do you think is the tastiest—most satisfying kind of home-made bread?

The General Baking Company ask you to dictate to them just what kind of bread you want for your table.

To get you to show them your idea of perfect bread, they offer you $1000 as money-prizes for a

Bond Bread Baking Contest, Nov. 29th

The 121 housewives who submit the best home-made loaves in this contest, will divide the $1000 cash.

Every other contestant will at least get (free) two loaves of the new wrapped bread which the General Baking Company will pattern after the prize-winning home-made loaves.

This will be called Bond Bread, because it will be guaranteed by the Bond of the General Baking Company, to possess the same pure "home" ingredients—the same home-made taste—the same crust and the same texture as the best home-made loaves which your committee of well-known local women judges will choose.

All loaves submitted (except the few best which will be retained as models) will be turned over to local charitable institutions.

You are sure to win something—

Even if you are not among the 121 luckiest ones, you will surely receive (free) two large loaves of the new Bond Bread when baked. So you cannot lose, you see.

$1000 Cash Prizes

Here is how the $1000 will be divided among the 121 who submit the best loaves—

1st Prize	$100
2d Prize	60
3d Prize	50
4th Prize	33
5th Prize	28
6th Prize	25
7th Prize	23
8th Prize	21
9th Prize	20
10th Prize	18
11th Prize	17
12th Prize	15
13th Prize	14
14th Prize	13
15th Prize	12
16th Prize	11
17th Prize	10
18th Prize	9
19th Prize	8
20th Prize	7
21st Prize	6

And 100 Prizes of $5.00 each $500.

These prize-winning loaves will be taken as ideals, which the General Baking Company will copy and incorporate in a new loaf of bread to be called Bond Bread.

In their clean, sunlit bakeries (so highly praised by pure food authorities) it is possible to make any kind of bread. They want to know what kind of bread you—the ladies of this vicinity—like best, so that they may duplicate that bread for you.

Women judges will select Prize-Winning loaves

The Committee of Judges will be headed by

MISS CLARIBEL NYE,
Bread Specialist of Cornell University.

As each loaf of bread is received, its wrapper—containing the contestant's name—will be marked with a number corresponding to a ticket, which ticket will be pinned on her loaf.

Promptly at 2 o'clock Saturday, Nov. 29th, all loaves will be laid out on tables. Each loaf will be identified by its number. The names of the contestants will be concealed from the judges.

The Committee of Judges will then pick out the 121 best loaves from all of those submitted. The women who will do this are unbiased and thoroughly representative of this vicinity. They are well-known local women who are giving their time (without compensation) to the judging of this contest. Their only reason for doing this is the possibility that the contest may result in bringing about better bread for the people of Washington, and vicinity.

The judges will be asked to select the 121 best loaves of bread on the basis of the following six qualities: General appearance; volume (size in proportion to weight; texture (fluffiness); color (inside of loaf); bake; flavor.

The prize-winning loaves will be taken as a model from which the General Baking Company will produce BOND BREAD. This BOND BREAD will be offered to the public after the expert bakers analyze the loaves the prize-winners submit—and copy their ingredients and qualities as modern baking science really can.

Bring your loaf to the office of the Alexandria Gazette Before 11 A. M. Saturday, November 29th.

and it will be called for in time to be entered in contest.

Or if you mail your loaf—put on 6c in stamps—and send it before Friday, November 28, 3 p. m., to the General Baking Company, Washington, D. C.

In every case, your name and address MUST be on your loaf.

Simple rules about the contest

Simply bake your loaf of these home ingredients: Flour, Lard, Sugar, Milk, Water, Compressed Yeast, Salt. (Proportions are up to you.)

Your finished loaf must weigh between 20 and 24 ounces.

No entry fee required.

Either mail your loaf by parcel post—or deliver it yourself, or by messenger—as long as it arrives before 12 A. M., Nov. 29.

In every case, your own name and address must be written on the outside of the wrapper containing your loaf.

About Dec. 3, the newspapers will announce the 121 prize-winners. They will receive their $1,000 cash prizes not later than Dec. 7th.

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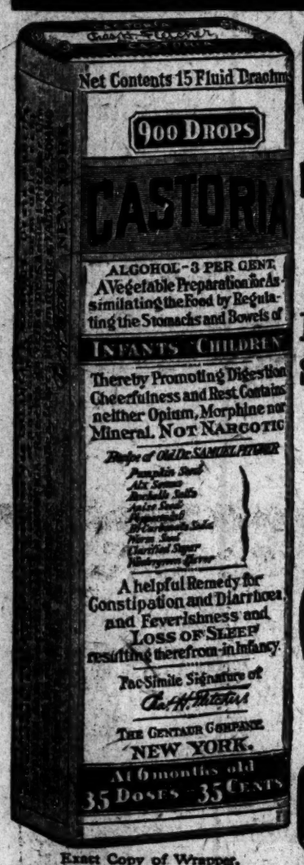
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Leading physicians have warned the country another Influenza epidemic is coming. They have advised the American people to build up their strength. Influenza attacks the weak and ailing, as well as those who, unsuspecting, are suffering from debility. The first thing for you to do is to select the proper medicine. This is the most important step. You will find there is but one which has the tonic, strength-building, relieving qualities you need—Pepsinol.

The second Influenza epidemic may be worse than the first which took more than 500,000 American lives and wrecked the lives of uncounted millions. For Influenza does more than take life—even those who recover may be left in such a state that they would welcome death. This scourge destroys vitality, poisons the body, frequently, indeed, impairs the mental faculties and nervous system forever.

Won't you fortify yourself now against Influenza? Won't you enjoy the strength, the healthy nerves, the pure blood, the renewed tissues that Pepsinol so quickly brings? Won't you take the pleasure in life that a sound constitution gives when every organ is working perfectly? Just let Pepsinol help you. Protect yourself against disease and invalidism.

Physicians and specialists recommend Pepsinol to build up strength, vigor and vitality, to refresh and sooth irritated, tired, aching nerves, to rid men and women of the stomach ailments that are so debilitating, to prevent insomnia.

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GROUP NUMBER THREE

Boliva, tinseltone and silvertone coats, with large square and shawl collars, full fancy silk lined, that sold regularly up to $89.50.

$59.50

GROUP NUMBER FOUR

Boliva, frost glo, silvertone and tinseltone coats, with large collars of nutria, sealine and Raccoon, all full fancy silk lined, that sold up to $100.00

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GROUP NUMBER FIVE

Evora crystal cord, cameleon cord and boliva coats with large shawl and square collars of Australian Opossum, nutria and Raccoon, all full fancy silk lined that sold regularly up to $135

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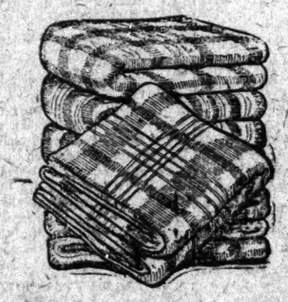

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FRANCE LESS RADICAL

Extreme Socialists Lose 37 Seats in Elections

Paris, Nov. 18.—Complete returns of Sunday's elections for 404 seats in the chamber of deputies—almost two-thirds of the chamber—show that 229 new members have been elected. The extreme socilaists will have 35 seats, having won six and lost 37.

It is noteworthy that the dissident socialists who separated from the unified socialist party won six seats and lost none. The independent socialist won 16 seats.

The extreme socialists received a severe setback throughout the country and in general the socialists suffered the defeat of many of their leaders.

COMMUTERS HOLD MEETING

Will be Represented at Hearing in Richmond Nov. 26.

A meeting of the commuters on the Mount Vernon division of the Washington-Virginia Railway Company was held last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce at which time it was decided to have the executive committee co-operate with the special committee named by the Chamber of Commerce to represent the city at the hearing which will take place November 26 in Richmond before the state corporation comission.

The meeting was presided over by D. R. Stansbury, president of the association, and Miss Margaret Germond was secretary.

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E. K. LINCOLN HAS STRENUOUS ROLE

In the star role of "Virtuous Men" to be shown by Managers Rose and Seigel at the Grand Theatre on Thursday and Friday of this week, E. K. Lincoln has been afforded an opportunity to do the most excellent acting of his career. The stellar part of this big society melodrama offers him a chance to typify the ideal American man, filled with the joy of living and the knack of doing things. The production, finely mounted and teeming with excitement and action, contains innumerable fast moving and dramatic situations. Lincoln is called upon to portray the athletic, up and doing young American who overcomes all obstacles. In the face of difficulty and danger he accomplishes through sheer courage the almost impossible. The star displays hitherto unsuspected athletic ability in "Virtuous Men." In the making of the production Lincoln several times narrowly escaped serious injury by the chances he took to secure real "punch" scenes. He engages in a tremendous hand to hand fight with Robert W. Cummings, cast in the role of the villain, which will send an unforgetable thrill through movie audiences. The various melodramatic situations occurring with machine gun rapidity in "Virtuous Men" afford Lincoln the opportuniy to display great versatility in the matter of real acting ability. He proves himself equally at home as the gentleman in evening clothes and the two-fisted, red blooded figher, handling with ease and artistry the difficult character he has been assigned. Manager Rose promises the picture, an S-L production, will prove one of the most entertaining shown at the Grand Theatre in many months. 275-1c.

SUGAR PROFITEERS TO JAIL

Two New York Dealers Sentenced Under Lever Act

New York, Nov. 18.—The first sugar profiteers to be sent to jail here under the Lever Profiteering act were sentenced yesterday by Federal Judge Knox.

Julius and George Roth, brothers, were convicted of selling five barrels of sugar at 22 1-2 cents a pound. They paid 9 3-4 cents a pound for it.

George Roth was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and to spend 30 days in jail. The other was fined $100 and sentenced to spend one day in jail. The sentences were light because both are ex-service men.

In sentencing the two Judge Knox declared that his only regret was that some of the "big fellows" among the profiteers had not been caught.

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No matter what may be your ambition, hope or fears, she guarantees to help you. Are you in trouble? Do you find the one you have bestowed your trust and affection upon acting cool and indifferent toward you? She will remove all obstacles and tell how to win and hold the one you desire. She guarantees satisfaction or no charge.

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Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous, go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it can not saivate or make you sick.

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WANTED—Girl for general housework to go to New York. Apply to Mrs. D. N. Swan, Apartment 4, The Fairfax. 4 275-2p

WANTED—Stenographer, prefer lady with experience. Good salary and steady position. Box 251, Alexandria, Va. 275-tf

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WANTED—Saleslady, reference required. Elliott, 604 King Street. 274-3p

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable. Apply to D. L. Roush after 7 p. m., at 408 Wilkes street. 274-3p.

FOR RENT—Two rooms, best location, electricity, hot water heat, and all modern conveniences. private bath; gentlemen only. References required. Address "C" Care of Gazette Office. 245-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms and single rooms, 523 South Washington street. 274-4p

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Seven rooms, bath, electric light, city water, house newly papered, near Lloyd Station. Price, $4,150. Apply to Graham & Ogden. 273-tf.

FOR SALE—At St. Elmo, we will sell a seven room (all daylight) frame cottage, electric lights, new range in kitchen, furnace, good cellar, paint and papering, in first class condition, with lot 75 feet frontage for $4,500 on terms. Possession can be had at once as property is unoccupied. Carver and Callahan, 127 North Fairfax Street. 275-3t

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FOR SALE—In Del Ray, seven room bath, electric lights, fine condition. Price, $4,000. Graham and Ogden. 241-tf.

FOR SALE—Immediate possession, brick dwelling, 6 rooms, bath, electric lights, hot water heat. Apply owner, 110 North Columbus Street. 275--3p

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PUBLIC SALE

Large House and lot and side lot, By Samuel H. Lunt Auctioneer

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on November 7, 1919, in the Chancery cause therein depending of Lydia A. Kraft and others Complainants, against Grace R. C. Donohoe and others, Defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale were therein ordered to expose for sale, at public auction in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market House, in the City of Alexandria, decedent Andrew (J. C.) Cheshire's house and lot and vacant lot located on the South side of King Street between Payne and West Streets, Numbered 1312 King Street, Alxandria City, Virginia.

Therefore in pursuence of said decree the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale will expose to sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash said large house and lot and vacant lot, on SATURDAY, November 22, 1919, at 12 M., in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market House Building, Alexandria, Virginia, being bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the South side of King Street 79 feet 7 inches west of Payne Street and running thence west on King Street 71 feet more or less ;thence South parallel with Payne Street 100 feet to an alley 12 feet wide; thence east parallel with King Street 71 feet more or less: and thence North parallel with Payne Street 100 feet to the beginning, and being the same real estate conveyed to said Andrew (J. C.) Cheshire by Owen J. Nugent and wife by deed dated May 18, 1903, and recorded in liber 50 page 189.

Special Commissioners of Sale.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria City, Virginia, November 6, 1919.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of aforessaid Court do certify that Robinson Moncure, one of the above said Special Commissioners of Sale, has duly given bond as provided by law and decree entered in above named cause with sufficient surity, for the due performance of his duties as such.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Washington-Virginia Railway Company has made application to the State Corporation Commission for authority to increase its passenger fares, commutation rates, and baggage charges, intrastate, in Virginia, to the same level as that authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission in its Fifteenth Section Orders Nos. 1897 and 1988 of October 15th and November 1st, 1919.

The Company has also applied to the State Corporation Commission for authority to increase its freight rates within the State of Virginia. The proposed new class rates are the same as those in effect on the Washington and Old Dominion Railway, while the proposed new commodity rates are the Washington-Virginia Railway Company's old rates, plus 25 per cent.

Hearing on the above application will be had before the State Corporation Commission in its court-room in Richmond on Wednesday, November 26th, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Washington-Virginia Railway Co.,
By Norman Grey, President.
Nov. 11-18-25

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

The State tax bills for the year 1919 are now due and payable at the treasurer's office, room 2, City Hall, and tax payers are urged to make a settlement of the same promptly and avoid payment of the 5 per cent penalty.

Voters are also reminded that the 1919 capitation taxes must be paid on or before **December 9th, 1919,** to qualify them for participation in the general election to be held June 8th, 1920.

THOMAS W. ROBINSON,
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Robert K. Mickey, vs. General Shipbuilding Company, Inc., In Chancery.

To Robert K. Mickey, the General Shipbuilding Company, Incorporated, and to all creditors of the General Shipbuilding Company, Incorporated, and to all persons interested in the issues in said cause;—

TAKE NOTICE—That pursuant to a decree entered in the above entitled cause on the 8th day of November, 1919, wherein I am directed to convene all creditors, ascertain all claims, and take account of all liens against the property of the General Shipbuilding Company, Incorporated, a corporation chartered under the laws of the State of Delaware, and doing business in the City of Alexandria, State of Virginia; and further directed to consider the offer made by Baugh & Sons Company, of Baltimore, Maryland, to purchase a portion of the real estate of said company at the sum of TwentyFive Thousand Dollars (25,000.00) to report thereon; and to report any other matter brought to my attention by any party or creditor to said suit; I will, at my office, 109 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Friday, the 12th day of December, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M. proceed to execute and carry out the direction of said decree, at which time and place you and each of you are required to attend and prove your claim.

You are further notified that at said time and place an offer to purchase a portion of the real estate of said General Shipbuilding Company, Incorporated, will be considered in order that a recommendation with respect to the same may be made in the undersigned Commissioner's report.

Notice is given you pursuant to the provision of Section 3321 of the Code of Virginia which provides that such notice shall be equivalent to personal service thereof upon you.

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SOUTHERN RAILROAD.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

South.		North.
	New York-Memphis	
3:27 a.m.	(Via Bristol)	12:13 a.m.
	Washington-Danville	
7:37 a.m.	(Local)	3:18 p.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
8:47 a.m.	(Via Atlanta)	11:38 p.m.
9:07 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg	9:13 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta	
9:37 a.m.	(Coaches)	11:13 p.m.
	Washington-Memphis	
2:27 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	4:58 p.m.
	Washington-Birmingham	
3:17 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	12:38 p.m.
4:12 p.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg	11:03 a.m.†
5:22 p.m.	(Local)	10:50 a.m.
5:22 p.m.	Washington-Warrenton	7:53 a.m.†
	Washington-Charlottesville	
7:17 p.m.	N.Y.-Augusta-Aiken	7:18 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
10:02 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	7:43 a.m.
10:17 p.m.	New York-Atlanta	8:28 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
11:03 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	9:28 a.m.
	Charlotte-Washington	8:48 p.m.

WASHINGTON-SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

South.		North.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
12:10 a.m.	(Local)	
	New York-Jacksonville	
3:35 a.m.	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
7:55 a.m.	(Local)	11:52 a.m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
10:07 a.m.	(S. A. L.)	10:15 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
10:52 a.m.	(Local)	2:35 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
11:47 a.m.	(Express)	7:50 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
3:12 p.m.	(Local)	1:40 p.m.k
	New York-Tampa-Key West	
3:32 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	3:10 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
	(Local)	5:33 p.m.k
	Washington-Richmond	
5:27 p.m.	(Local)	8:32 p.m.s
	Washington-Columbia-Memphis	
3:17 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	New York-St. Petersburg-Palm Beach	
8:07 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	9:20 a.m.
	Washington-St. Petersburg-Tampa	
9:17 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	9:10 a.m.
	Richmond-Washington	
	(Express)	3:28 p.m.
	Richmond-Washington	
	(local)	6:12 p.m.†
	Quantico-Washington	
	(Local)	2:35 p.m.‡

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